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"I know of the bravery and character of the Afro-American soldier. He saved my life at Santiago. I have had occasion to say so in many articles and speeches. The Rough Riders were in a bad position when the Ninth and Tenth Cavalry came rushing up the hill, carrying everything before them. The Afro-American soldier has the faculty of coming to the front when he is needed most. In the civil war he came 400,000 strong, and I believe he saved the Union."—President Roosevelt.



C. P. WALBRIDGE
Candidate for Governor of Missouri.

For Walbridge is a vote for honor.

Republicans line up on Roosevelt, Walbridge, McKinley ticket, and victory will be theirs.

Who that can vote against Walbridge is not honest wife, mother, sister, nor to the Republic.

Republican party meets live issue, democratic party dodges Walbridge represents the party.

Republicans of the state should make every effort to elect Hon. Walbridge, with the entire republican ticket.

Walbridge represents the principles of the republican party, and he will be elected if the republicans do their duty.

Who man that will vote against Walbridge must accept the treatment of the governor of Mississippi—POLITICAL BAMBOOZLER.

Who man who says that he is at all a republican, and votes against Walbridge, is a political crank, and ought to be read out of the party.

We must look for the interest of the Negro, that is the fourteenth and fifteenth amendments to the constitution. Roosevelt and Walbridge represent these principles that give dignity to Negro manhood.

Lincoln Institute Notes.

Lincoln Institute opened Tuesday with the largest enrollment in its history. The enrollment last year was four hundred, and President Allen expects to make it five hundred. The summer school had an enrollment of one hundred and a very fine corps of teachers. Lincoln Institute is better equipped today than ever, and some of the best teachers in the country are at work with the work. The buildings and grounds are in excellent condition, and everything points to a very successful year. The central heating plant is ready, and all the buildings are heated from the same boilers. Teaching force numbers twenty.

Dr. J. R. A. Crossland.

It is reported that Dr. J. R. A. Crossland of St. Joseph, was shot by a man named that Crossland had formed a partnership for his wife. It is a fact that his head was not shot off. Crossland has a liking for anybody's life in his own. Now, will you pay for subscription bill?

At Rest.

James Maderson, the former pastor of St. Peter's church, died last week. Rev. Maderson was one of the members of the Missouri Synod, and a man who had done much for the church.

FOR RENT.

Two unfurnished rooms. Bath. Water license free. Apply at 1512 Chestnut street, or to Jas. W. Grant, 510 Chestnut.

Better Get With the People.

Two hundred and fifty new subscribers. We come in contact with a very common Nig.

At Last He Came Out.

For the last two months the Freedman Journal has had very little to say about the republican ticket. We have been thinking that there was something wrong—or in other words, there was a Nigger in the wood pile.

Last Tuesday, in a meeting in St. Paul chapel, many speeches were made by men who constituted a part of the old guard, better known as the true republicans. These speeches were all complimentary to the republican party and our next president, Theodore Roosevelt.

At the conclusion of the several speeches our old friend and Brother George L. Knox, saw fit to give vent to his views and charge that the council were not honest in their actions.

Mr. Knox spoke at some length on a vacillating line until several ladies and gentlemen asked the Palladium man what was his position in his talk. I answered that it was bordering on insanity or ducocracy. True to our prediction in due time he showed his true colors, and came out in the light, so plain that all saw it, when he said that he should vote for the best man regardless of his politics. But the old guard was on duty, namely, James L. Lewis, of New Orleans; Lewison Nelson Crews, of Kansas City, Dr. D. P. Roberts, pastor of St. Paul's chapel, and a hundred others were ready to defend the republican party and its leader, Theodore Roosevelt. George L. Knox said that Lincoln, Grant, Morton, Garfield, McKinley and other good republicans were gone, and we must make other friends. At this rally Dr. D. P. Roberts and Hon. James Lewis, although they are dead, but their spirits like that great and good man's spirit, John Brown, are marching on, and we have a Theodore Roosevelt who declares that he will not shut the door of hope against the Negro.

At this Brother Knox looked as if he could go through a gimlet hole. Some little brown man rose and tried to explain for Mr. Knox, but he utterly failed. We must stand for the principles of the republican party.

On Thursday when the council met President Stewart ask that Mr. Knox be allowed to explain, as he thought that he was misunderstood last night (Wednesday). After about 20 minutes talk he failed to convince any one that he was understood. He advised that we as Negroes should vote for the best man, let him be democratic or republican. I do not see to deny his true meaning.

A Learned Man.

We had the extreme pleasure of meeting Prof. W. Welch, of Little Rock, Ark. Prof. Welch at once impressed us that he was a man above the average class. Such men we like to come in contact with. He is principal of the 21st Street school and president of the State Teachers' association of Arkansas. Perhaps he will call to remembrance when a discussion of astronomy theology and infinitely were talked of by himself and three other men. We would be pleased to hear from Prof. W. Welch.

NOTICE.

We received a chart from Mr. Mitchell, of Memphis, Tenn., as in a very neat way ask to be remembered. We can only remember them as a body of young and old men who are trying to detract a vote from our President Theodore Roosevelt your chart is good so far as it goes, but we the editors and manager of the St. Louis Palladium can not give aid to anyone that is aiding and abetting democratic party.

Did Not Want to Die.

It was rumored that Mrs. Ida Wilson, of 2109 Chestnut street, had attempted to commit suicide. It is untrue, as she took the drug through a mistake. She does not want to go beyond this veil from whence no traveler ever returns.

A GRAND EDITION.

September 17 will be six years as a weekly paper and fourteen years as a monthly paper, 20 years in all. On the 24th of this month we will issue a special edition. Will you help us and let us have your cut.

One of God's Evangelists.

Miss Lula Allen, of Nashville, Tenn., is stopping at her sister's, 1809 Lucas avenue. She will remain for several weeks.

The Afro-American Council.

The following officers were unanimously elected for the ensuing year: President, William H. Stewart, Kentucky; vice-presidents, John Q. Adams, of Minnesota; Col. James Lewis, of Louisiana; Walter M. Farmer, of Missouri; J. T. Settle, of Tennessee; T. B. Morton, of California; J. D. Wetmore, of Florida; A. Allensworth, of Montana; F. F. Scott, of Missouri, and Mrs. R. Jerome Jeffrey, of New York; secretary, Cyrus Field Adams, of Illinois; financial secretary, W. A. Gains, of Kentucky; corresponding secretary, Miss Cecile Rodney, of Missouri; assistant secretary, Miss Minnie York, of Tennessee; treasurer, John W. Thompson, of New York; national organizer, James H. Guy, of Kansas; sergeant-at-arms, S. Joe Brown, of Iowa; assistant sergeant-at-arms, J. E. Bush, of Arkansas; chaplain, Rev. D. P. Roberts, of Missouri.

Directors of Bureau—Education, J. R. Morris, Texas; legal, J. Madison Vance, Louisiana; business, E. J. Scott, Alabama; ecclesiastical, Rev. R. T. Pollard, Alabama; emigration, Nelson Crews, Missouri; literary, Mrs. Fannie Barrier Williams, Illinois; anti-lynching, George L. Knox, Indiana; newspaper, M. M. Lewey, Florida; vital statistics, Dr. D. W. Scott, Missouri.

First Baptist Church.

The Pleasant Workers had a rousing good meeting last Sunday at the First Baptist church, and at the close all the members were happy.

Mrs. Katie A. Taylor, a handsome young lady of Indianapolis, Ind., is in the city stopping at 2011½ Walnut street, a guest of her sister, Madame Ella Price.

Mrs. S. Gordon, of Mobile, Ala., a noted society lady of said place, is in the city on a visit to the fair, and is stopping with her relative, Mrs. J. Murdock, at 2021 Walnut street.

Miss Alma Price, niece of Mrs. Sallie J. Douglas, 1621 Linden street, has been in the city on a visit to her aunt for several weeks and viewing the sights at the fair. She returned to her home last week at Annemoda, Mont.

Dr. W. P. T. Jones and wife, of 2231 Market street, were out at the morning service at the First Baptist church, last Sunday, looking well. You must come again soon, doctor, and always bring the madame with you.

Miss Laura A. Jackson, H. L. D., a very estimable and cultured young lady of the Lincoln Institute, Jefferson City, Mo., and a teacher in the city school of Muskogee, I. T., is in the city on a visit to the fair, and is stopping at 2718 Wash street.

Mrs. Luja Ware, a very notable lady of Meridian, Miss., spent last Sunday in the city with her friends, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Washington, at 2011A Walnut street. She was en route home from the convention in Columbus, O. She left for home Sunday night very sick.

Mrs. George Mercer, of St. Paul, Minn., a sister of Madame Pinkie Johnson, has been in the city for several months stopping with her sister at 1020 Brooklyn street. She will leave for her home on the 12th, singing the praises of St. Louis, her people and the fair.

The St. Louis B. Y. P. U., a Christian organization, which composes the following churches, to wit: First Baptist, Central Baptist, Antioch Baptist, and Compton Hill Baptist, will hold their quarterly district meeting at the First Baptist church on the third Sunday in present month at 3 o'clock p. m. A large crowd is anticipated.

At the semi-annual election of the B. Y. P. U. at the First Baptist church, several weeks ago, Mr. Charles Bollinger was elected president, Madame Katie L. Boswell vice-president, Mr. Garfield Craven secretary and Madame Julia Townsend treasurer. These officers have the highest indorsement of the press, hence they are sure of success.

Rev. Dr. E. W. Merchant, a noted divine of Little Rock, Ark., preached a noble sermon last Sunday at 11 a. m. at the First Baptist church. Immediately afterwards Dr. E. C. Cole baptized one candidate, and as covenant meeting and the Lord's supper was the next service, a goodly number of the congregation remained and partook of the dinner that the Ruth Club had prepared. Mrs. L. Newcomb, the president of said club, and her assistants, served everybody so very nice.

CITY NEWS.

Notes and News Concerning Our People—Weekly Record of Social Events, Deaths, Marriages and Births—Written Especially for St. Louis Palladium.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, 2733 Mills street. MRS. STREET.

Pickett's Headache Powders give instant relief. 2601 Lawton avenue.

The brother of Attorney Inge is now visiting him, and will remain in St. Louis.

Miss Ross, of Portland, Me., is being entertained by Mrs. Fields, of 2121 Chestnut street.

Nelson Crews, one of our greatest political Missouri speakers, was in St. Louis this week.

Mr. G. W. Gains, grand master of the U. B. F., was in the city this week attending the council.

Mr. William Gains, of New Orleans, La., is visiting Mrs. Josephine Beck, of 2322 Chestnut street.

Rev. J. W. Perry, of 3724 Rutger street, has just returned from his visit to his people in Arkansas.

The mother of Mrs. J. W. Russell, of 2735 Mills street, is visiting her. She is from Lexington, Ky.

The Misses Edwards, at 3032 Lambdin avenue, are entertaining their cousin, Mrs. Ella Logan, of St. Joseph, Mo.

Republican state headquarters are now on the seventh floor of the Mercantile building, Sixth and Olive streets.

Miss Sadie Ogilby and mother, of St. Joseph, Mo., are visiting here. They are stopping with Mrs. Washington, 2608 Mills street.

Bishop Tryce was in the city last Thursday. He is a strong man of God, and believes that Roosevelt will be our next president.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace McIntyre, of East St. Louis, are stopping a few days with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Floyd, of 2520 Bellegrade avenue.

Mrs. Chas. McCullie, of 3008 Fairfax avenue, has just returned from Chicago, Ill. She was well pleased with the Windy City, but preferred St. Louis to live.

Mr. A. W. Williams, at 4211 Maffitt avenue, is running a coal yard, and will do expressing. Coal will be delivered by basket or ton. Price per basket, 8 cents. Postal orders promptly filled.

Joseph A. Smith, the attorney and real estate agent, sold to Rev. R. C. Brown, a four-room cottage on North Newstead avenue for the sum of \$1,000. Also sold to Mr. Louis Dumaine a four-room cottage, 3013 Lambdin avenue, for the sum of \$900.

Mr. Sam Brown, of 524 Montrose avenue, is quite sick and has been for two weeks.

Mr. Jeff Smith, of 1201 Morgan, has been confined to his bed from la grippe. We wish for his recovery.

Dr. J. W. McDowell has returned to his office, after three months' sickness. He is now ready for duty.

Mrs. George Smith, of 3227 Rutger street, has been quite sick for the past two weeks. She is better now.

We are pleased to note that Rev. Lewis Lane is able to be up again, after being confined to his bed two weeks, with pneumonia.

Mr. O. Dell, of 2710 Lawton avenue, has returned home. He will remain, and enjoy his beautiful home. Mr. O'Dell is all O. K.

Dr. W. P. Curtis, of 1419 Market street, will soon leave for Hot Springs, to remain several months. The doctor is not well at all.

Miss Mags Washington, the Chicago belle, has returned to St. Louis. She is stopping at 3116 Rutger street. We are glad to welcome her back in our midst.

Mr. A. C. Williams has opened a coal yard at 4214 Maffitt avenue, also will do expressing. Price of coal eight cents per basket, and \$2.75 per ton. Postal orders will be promptly filled.

A few of Aunt Hager's children and would-be-good Christians had one of Aunt Dollie's times, a few days ago. Better be careful how you walk, as your foot might slip and your soul get lost.

We trust that our subscribers will settle up with us. We are in need of our money, and we know that you will pay us. C. H. Wheeler and J. W. Wheeler will receive it at any time and place. This we hope for the good of all concerned.

The Boston Chemical goods are for sale at The Palladium office. Electric combs, brushes, soap, face powders, Ozone, all of the goods that are manufactured by that company are for sale at The Palladium office. Send letters, and we will fill your orders.

Miss M. A. Brown, of 3221 Lawton avenue, is entertaining quite a number of World's fair visitors. Among them are Prof. P. L. Minge, principal of Lexington graded public school, Dr. C. M. Wilson and mother, and Mr. A. L. Johnson, all of Lexington, Miss., and Mr. Shelby Johnson, of Kadirak, Ia.

Rev. G. W. Mills, of Selma, Ala., visited the World's fair last week. The Reverend is of C. M. E. church. He is an able and learned divine. Rev. G. E. Conly is a divine of the C. M. E. church, also of Selma, Ala. These gentlemen are well versed in the political affairs of the state of Alabama, also of the United States. They stopped while here at Mrs. Annetta Fields, who made it very pleasant for them, at 2121 Chestnut street.

OUR FLAG.



(Written by Dr. M. A. Bishop, of Russell, Ark., on the occasion of unfolding the flag on the national holiday.)

At the first light of day o'er the land that we love
We see the blue sky of the heavens above,
As day succeeds night it brings to our view
The beautiful folds of the Red, White and Blue.

We cast our eyes upwards as the heavens grow light
And feast our souls on the glorious sight
There straight from the shaft our flag streams out bold,
The Stars and the Stripes wave out fold after fold.

As day becomes brighter and increases 'the light
The stars of our flag are now plain to the sight;
The blue field with its stars comes plainly to view,
Each star a state in our Union so true.

Under its folds there is no such a name
As earls, lords or noble, all men are the same,
Each freeman an heir to the throne of our land,
Where the brave and the merciful go hand in hand.

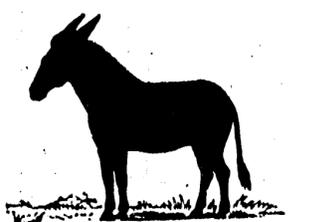
Antioch Church Notes.

Sunday school teachers' meeting every Friday at 8 p. m. All teachers are expected to attend. J. A. Smith, Instructor.

Sunday, September 11, there will be covenant meeting at 10:30 a. m. and at 3 p. m. communion of the Lord's supper. All the members are expected to be present.

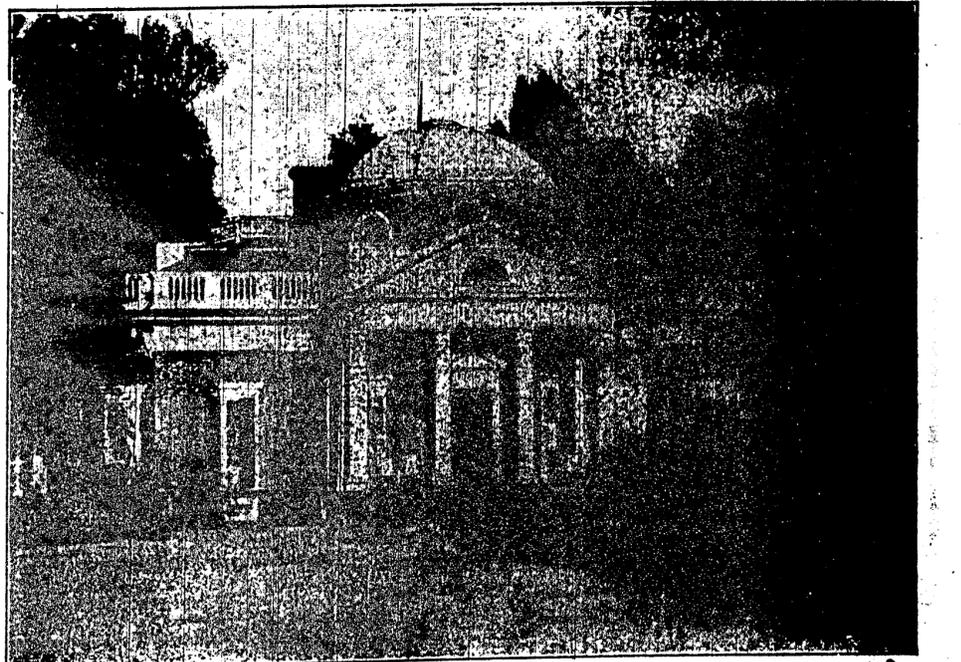
The City Union composed of Antioch Central, Compton Hill, Fifth and First Baptist church unions will meet in their quarterly meeting, Sunday, September 18, at 3 p. m., at Fifth Baptist church. Miss Estelle Brickner, president; M. A. Lawrence, corresponding secretary.

Sunday, the 4th, services were well attended and the congregation were highly entertained at 11 a. m. by Rev. T. W. Lott, of Cairo, Ill., who preached a fine sermon from a part of the 13th chapter of St. Matthew. Also at 8 p. m. by Rev. J. H. Oden, of Central Baptist church. His sermon from Ezekiel 11 and 10 was good. All felt that the presence of God was there and to go forward in the work for the Lord.



This mule will be loaded soon. As some of our subscribers think that we have got too good to put their name under this, a number of our subscribers in the state will appear.

FOR RENT—Nicely-furnished rooms at 1809 Lucas avenue.



VIRGINIA BUILDING AT THE WORLD'S FAIR.